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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant	Fang Lei
Application No. 10/764,908	Filing Date: January 26, 2004
Title of Application:	Image Transmission System From Three Rod Lenses For Rigid Endoscopes
Confirmation No. 3365	Art Unit: 2872
Examiner	Thong Q. Nguyen

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Commissioner for Patents  
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**Notice of Appeal to the  
Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences**

Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the Office Action mailed May 16, 2005, finally rejecting claims 1-9 and 11-22.

1. **Fee for Filing Notice of Appeal.** Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 41.20(b)(1), the fee for filing this Notice of Appeal is \$500.00.
2. **Time To Reply.** The final rejection is dated October 3, 2005. The period for response granted therein is three months from the date thereof. Thus, this Notice is timely filed on or before February 3, 2006 with a one month extension of time.

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3. **Appeal Brief.** Enclosed herewith is Applicant's Appeal Brief Under 37 CFR §41.37.
4. **Fee for Filing Appeal Brief.** Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 41.20(b)(2), the fee for filing the Appeal Brief is \$500.00.
5. **Fee Time Extension.** Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.17(a)(2), the fee for filing the one-month extension is \$120.00.
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Notice of Appeal fee	\$500.00
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Total	\$1120.00
7. **Fee Payment.** Attached is a credit card authorization in the amount of \$1120.00. This is also a petition and a request, and the Commissioner is hereby authorized, to charge Account No. 19-4516 for any additional extension and/or fee as may be required or credit for any excess fee paid.

Respectfully submitted,

February 1, 2006



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